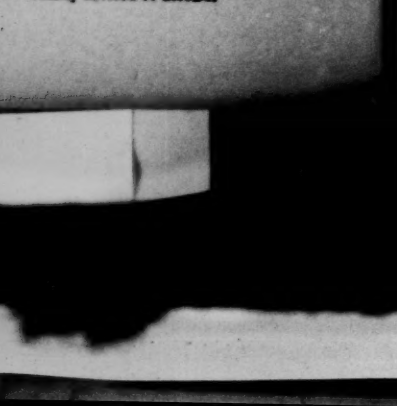


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GRAND OPERA-HOUSE—The Bostonians.
OLYMPIA—"A Straight Tip."
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Weather forecast for twenty-four
hours, beginning at 8 a. m. to-day,
for Missouri: Occasional light rain
or snow to-day; generally fair and
much colder by Wednesday morning;
northerly winds.

The area of low pressure central yesterday
in Kansas is now central in Michigan, hav-
ing depended somewhat in the meantime.
Warm southerly winds are flowing in toward
this storm center from the Gulf throughout
the valley from Texas to the Alleghenies.
Rains have been general from the Rocky to
the Alleghenies Mountains, and from the
lakes to the Gulf, being less precipitation in
Missouri and Illinois than elsewhere.
The heaviest rainfalls in the past twenty-four
hours are as follows: New Orleans, 2.56;
Memphis, 1.15; Galveston, 1.12; Marquette,
1.04; Duluth, .84; Grand Haven, .82;
Omaha, .76; Fort Smith, .73. These rains
have caused a rise in the Mississippi from
Keokuk southward, but have not yet checked
the fall in the Ohio River.

Weather forecast for St. Louis for thirty-
six hours ending at 8 a. m., Dec. 16: Show-
ers this afternoon or to-night, followed by
clearing weather; colder; winds changing
to northerly.

MR. SPRINGER shows his mettle in his
opposition to the gift of \$5,000,000 to Chi-
cago.

SENATOR QUAY is helping the President
in one way, he is giving him the benefit of
his enemy.

THE first bill introduced by Senator
PFEFFER confirms the belief that he has
more brains than brains.

LET us hope that no little one's stocking
hung up on Christmas Eve will suffer the
fate of the bills which are hung up in com-
mittee.

THE discovery that the Sage bomb-
thrower was not an Anarchist, but a specu-
lator suggests a new definition of the term
"dangerous classes."

THE World's success in establishing the
Identity of New York's dynamite fiend has
made it unnecessary for any more men to
explain that the head in the Morgue does
not belong to them.

In framing his rules a new speaker usually
finds it harder to determine what to avoid
than what to establish. In this respect
Speaker CRISP is singularly fortunate, as
he has the Reed rules before him.

THE Prince of Naples, who was refused
by Princess MAUD of Wales, has been be-
rothed to the eldest daughter of the Duke
of Edinburgh, who, it seems, has not an
aversion to garlic.

MINISTER EGAN is said to charge an
exceedingly high rate of board to the
refugees living in the American Legation.
But then he gives them protection with
the board, and that always comes high.

MR. BLAINE's silence is at last ex-
plained. He is troubled with semi-
paralysis of the throat, which makes
speaking difficult. He therefore avoids
conversation on all subjects requiring em-
phasis of expression.

SENATOR PFEFFER has introduced a bill
to increase the chaplains in the army to
heavily double their present number. This
bill has the appearance of the attempt to
substitute prayer for strategy and the
power of theological argument for the
force of arms in war.

JOSEPH MULHATTON obtained his release
from court, where he was under trial for

larceny, by lying with such variety, per-
sistency and ingenuity that he wore out
the Judge. Mr. MULHATTON should not
overlook this hint of the occupation in
which his remarkable talents as a liar
could be used to greatest advantage.

MORNING AND EVENING.

In abandoning its evening edition, which
it has tried for a year, the Kansas City
Times endeavors to excuse its failure and
bolster itself in the public estimation by
re-marking:

Every newspaper reader would rather take
a morning than an evening paper. There is
no method by which an evening paper can
furnish a news report as full and fresh as
that of a good morning paper.

The only difference in favor of the evening
paper is that the cost of news service and
publication is less and the price is generally
low.

We take exception to the statement of
our esteemed morning contemporary on
the KAW. It embodies an erroneous con-
clusion derived from an unwarranted gen-
eralization of insufficient and misleading
data. We would not challenge the asser-
tion of the Times if it were properly ap-
plied to the evening edition of a morning
newspaper, such as the Times' unfortunate
experiment in evening journalism was, but
as regards a genuine evening newspaper
we are compelled to deny it point blank
and the facts bear out the denial.

The only fact in this case worth noting
is that the evening edition of the Times
failed in a city where evening journalism
has scored a remarkable success. The only
conclusion to be derived from it is that this
evening edition of the Times was not ac-
ceptable to the Kansas City public.

Whether this failure was due to misman-
agement, or to the fact that the limited
field was already fully occupied by other
and better newspapers, or that the Evening
Times was a neglected side issue of the
Morning Times, we decline to discuss.

We do not believe that there is a demand
anywhere for an evening paper which is
run as a waste basket, grab-bag and ad-
vertising dodger for a morning paper. To
how how false is the reasoning of the
Times as to evening papers in general, it
must be said that despite stronger com-
petition than the Evening Times afforded
there is a most successful evening paper in
Kansas City having a larger circulation
and probably making more money than
any other paper there. In this connection
it is not amiss to note that the proprietor
of the Evening Star has always held pos-
session of his paper and is one of the
wealthiest men in Kansas City, whereas
the Morning Times was recently put in the
hands of a receiver and its proprietor was
dispossessed by his creditors.

Among St. Louisans it is unnecessary to
discuss the question of the comparative
advantages of evening and morning jour-
nalism. They know that the live evening
newspaper prints the news on the day of
its occurrence, twelve hours in advance of
its morning competitors; they know that
it is the newspaper which goes to their
homes at a time when they have opportu-
nity to read it; they know that when
rightly conducted it is the most prosper-
ous and popular form of journalism; in
short, they know what the POST-DISPATCH
is and what it has done.

THE New York Herald of Sunday, Dec.
13, prints under a big display head, and
as a special telegram from St. Louis, the
article which appeared in the SUNDAY
POST-DISPATCH of Dec. 6, giving in two col-
umns the first newspaper account of the
great and learned controversy which has
been progressing for some time among the
Catholic Church authorities as to the
proper limits of parental, State and church
authority over the education of children.

That SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH article was
the most important news publication
ever known from the gathering of prelates at
the Kenrick jubilee in this city, and by keeping
an eye on the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH the
Herald procured the biggest thing it had
in its make-up for the following Sunday.

THE report of strained relations between
Emperor WILLIAM and his Chancellor
gets some support from the fact that the
Chancellor's appeal to the Reichstag to
ratify the commercial treaties reads
mightily like a rebuke or correction of the
Emperor's giddy talk about his right to
run the Government and rule the German
people as he pleases. VON CAPRIVI im-
munes that the German people are their
own masters, that the issue of peace or
war is in their hands, and he plainly tells
the Reichstag that "since the end of the
last century it has been impossible to con-
duct Cabinet conventions between Gov-
ernment and Government; the heart of the
people must also approve."

OUR exports for the year ending June 30
were \$27,976,457 in excess of the total for
the preceding year. But it is to be noted
that \$28,500,000 of this increase was in ex-
ports to Europe and British North America,
which together took \$741,427,625, or 85 per
cent of our exports. Reciprocity and sub-
sidies did not prevent a falling off in our
exports to South America, and the enlarged
market for our products is afforded by the
very countries against which our new tariff
was hurled as a measure of commercial an-
tagonism. A general crop failure in Eu-
rope is worth more to our exporters than
could be realized from reciprocity with all
the rest of the world.

PROPHETS who are telling how Mr.
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will shape his course on the dictation of
the New York Senator do not reconcile
the forecasts with their assertion that
Mr. MILLS will be sent to the rear because
of his radicalism. Senator HILL's demand
for the immediate repeal of the whole

McKinley law is quite as radical as any-
thing intended or supposed by the prophe-
cies to be intended by the Texas member.

MISS ST. JOHN, the English actress,
whose name, by the way, is called "Slin-
gin" by the jolly Britishers, has been re-
fused a divorce from her actor husband
MARQUIS in the suit which has afforded an
unpleasant view of much sordid stage life
to the people of two continents. The jury
has decided that the pair are not unfit for
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a very tight corset, and as well as any
male farmer in the neighborhood.

MISS BITTENBERG, who desired to be-
come a Supreme Court Judge in Nebraska,
did not get there by nearly 5,000 votes. But
trusting this will probably not deter her
from running again.

It is no secret that Patti has for a long time
been engaged in writing a book about people
she has met, and last summer she had at
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MINING CONVENTION.
Opening Exercises of the Interstate Mining Convention met here this morning at 9 o'clock in the Palace Building on Commercial street. President Campbell called the convention to order, and on motion was elected temporary chairman.

Mayor Parce delivered an address of welcome, in which he spoke briefly of the several resources of Southwest Missouri, Northern Arkansas and the Indian Territory. Responses were delivered by a number of the delegates from abroad. The work of permanent organization, appointment of committees, etc., will be taken up at the afternoon session at 2 o'clock. Assistant state geologist, Frank L. Wason, will deliver an address on iron deposits, followed by J. H. Hollibough of Joplin on the geology of the Missouri and Arkansas states. J. A. Hammond of this city, former tripple of St. Louis, Jesse Koote Mansfield and Prof. Potter of St. Louis will speak on the same subject. A report on Missouri only was made by F. L. Hamilton, W. Q. Seawell, J. W. Williams and Prof. E. M. Shepard of University of St. Louis. A large force has been busy for several days arranging the display, which is even more complete than was anticipated. The counties represented for Missouri are: Boone, Christian, Barry, Taney, Douglas, Laclede, Wright, Webster, Dade, Camden, Iron and Hickory. Howell, Newton, Cedar, Boone, Marion, Newton, Scott, Sharp and Fulton, Indian Territory, the Florida mines. Some of the displays are very attractive and the artistic arrangement is especially tasteful. The Peacock Creek mines have a fine display of jacks, which is quite a surprise to many visitors from abroad. Howell county has arranged its display on only one day and from one in a showcase, which adds to its attractions. Black Rock, in Lawrence county, Ark., has some fine specimens of zinc ore on display, one slab weighing over three hundred pounds. Its exhibit is the sensation of the convention, and is being viewed with interest by many of the delegates. In the arrangement of their displays this morning.

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WILL NOT BE MOVED.

Gen. Grant's Bones Will Continue to Re- pose on the Banks of the Hudson.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.—Senator Plumb's resolution looking to the removal of Gen. Grant's body to Arlington cannot have any effect except to revive interest in the Grant monument fund. The reinterment can be accomplished only with Mrs. Grant's consent and this she refuses to give. On this account Congress will probably not pass the resolution, as it cannot do so without wounding the feelings of the dead general's widow. Senator Plumb's action has revived a plan favored by many Grand Army and Loyal Legion men to establish a national memorial at Arlington in the form of a sacred edifice to contain the remains of either state or nation. The factor will not be moved from his present resting place in St. Louis. The prospect is that in accordance with Gen. Grant's wishes Mrs. Grant will be laid at his side, and if she persists in her veto the hero will never be moved from the hoped-for mausoleum on the Hudson.

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Judge Hallett's Promotion.
DENVER, Colo., Dec. 15.—A report was circulated in Denver yesterday that Hon. Moses Hallett, United States District Judge, had been selected by President Harrison as the gentleman to be appointed to the new Federal Court of Appeals for this district. This nomination, it is believed, will go to the senate today.

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BENEATH THE RUIN

Railway Depot Demolished by a Freight Train.

SEVERAL PERSONS CRUSHED UNDER THE FALLING WALLS.

An English Vessel Swept by Huge Waves—The Steamboat Herbert Sunk Below Russell Shoals—Mangled by a Saw-Down an Embankment—Two Men Asphyxiated—Casualties.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—There was a serious rail accident at Accrington, Lancashire, fifteen miles from Manchester, on the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway, to-day. A freight train ran over off its steps and burst into the wall of the freight depot. That building, however, collapsed, burying several persons in the ruins. One dead body has been extracted from the ruins and many persons have been injured by the accident. The search of the ruins continues as this dispatch is sent.

STEAMER HERBERT SUNK.
CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Dec. 15.—The steamer Herbert, from this port for St. Louis, has been sunk at Florence, Ala., after successfully passing through the Muscle Shoals Canal. owing to trouble with one of her engines the Herbert struck on a reef and went down in 8 feet of water. No lives were lost and no damage was done to the cargo in tow. The boat will be raised and continue her trip to St. Louis.

SWEPT BY HUGE WAVES.
LONDON, Dec. 15.—It is reported in Plymouth that H. M. S. Anson, the flagship of the Channel squadron, while cruising in the vicinity of Gibraltar encountered a terrific gale, during which the vessel was swept by huge waves and several of her men were washed overboard and drowned.

DOWN AN EMBANKMENT.
KOKOMO, Ind., Dec. 15.—Adam Conrad, a deaf mute, 80 years of age, was knocked down a thirty-foot embankment by a train yesterday and killed. He was widely known in the country. It is supposed he did not know the train was coming.

TWO MEN ASPHYXIATED.
CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 15.—John and Henry Fitzsimmons were asphyxiated last night in a boarding-house. One of them hung his trousers on the gas jet and thus turned the gas on. They came from Buffalo in search of work.

SHOT BY HIS SON-IN-LAW.
HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., Dec. 15.—A report comes from Madisonville, fifty miles north of here, that Thomas Littlepage was fatally shot by his son-in-law, Ed McNeal. Littlepage, who has been supporting McNeal for some time, told him to move. McNeal procured a pistol and shot him.

MANGLED BY A SAW.
KIRKSVILLE, Mo., Dec. 15.—Nathaniel Jones was horribly mangled by a portable sawmill on the farm of Tyler Payne near here yesterday. A slab of timber got caught in the machinery and threw Jones on the saw. His leg was almost cut off and he was cut from head to foot. He may recover. W. L. Mc-

LINKING THE CHAIN

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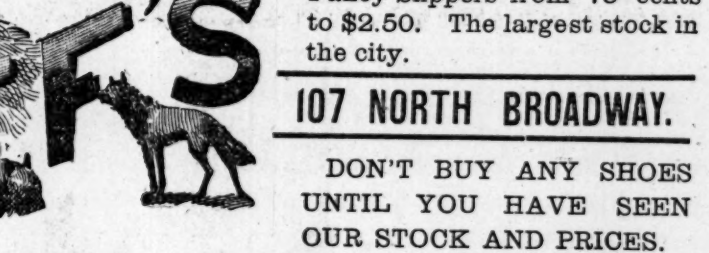
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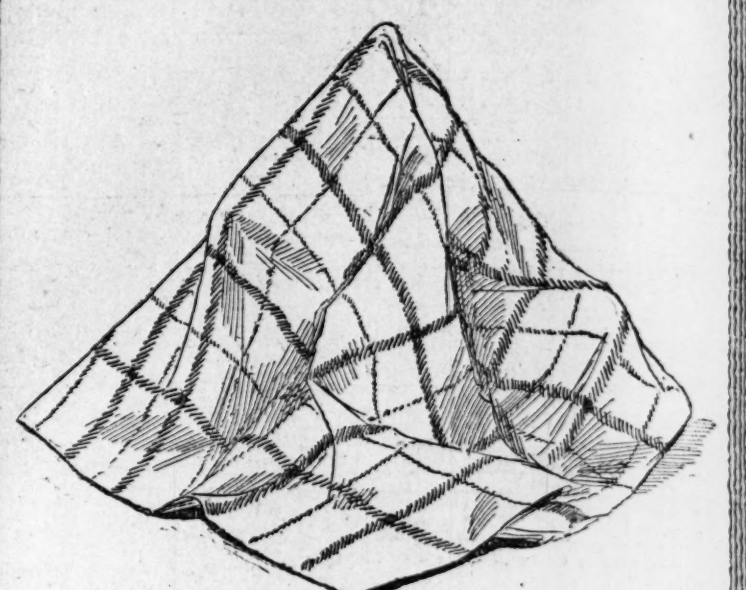


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ABOUT TOWN.

The Missouri Division of the T. P. A. will have their fourth social evening next Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the T. P. A. rooms in the Great building, 11th and Locust streets.

BURGESS broke into Kroger & Schurz's liquor store, 622 Hillside street, some time last night and stole a ten-gallon keg of whisky. The thieves were a party out of the rear door.

THEODORE SCHULTZ, an aged German, living in the rear of 1541 South Second street, is sick and in a destitute condition. He is without fuel, food or money to pay medicines. The police report that a party out of the rear door.

PETER NATOLI and Frank Kamate, two inhabitants of "Little Italy," have a rough and tumble fight at Franklin avenue near Eighth street yesterday afternoon. A crowd of their excited countrymen gathered and a riot was only prevented by the timely arrival of a police officer, who placed the combatants under arrest.

J. M. and HENRY DUNCAN were arrested at the foot of Carroll street yesterday evening for having their two-wheeled bicycle, which they were riding, stuck in the rear of a building on the corner of Carroll and Franklin streets. They were trying to dismount the bicycle, and before they had succeeded they were locked up to await investigation.

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His Slayer, Shot Dead by the Son of His Victim, Held blameless by the Jury—An Exceedingly Graphic History of the Famous Dukes-Nutt Tragedy of Uniontown, Pa.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., Dec. 15.—A wedding event within the past few days in this city revives memories of a tragedy which ten years ago was the talk of the continent. On Wednesday last Miss Lizzie Nutt was married to Samuel J. Kropps. The bride played an important part in the events which led to the murder of her father on Dec. 24, 1882 and the shooting of her slayer by her husband a few months later in the streets of Uniontown.

Capt. A. C. Nutt was cashier of the Pennsylvania State Treasury. N. L. Dukes, one of the most prominent lawyers in the State at that time was also a member of the state legislature. Miss Lizzie Nutt was the belle of Uniontown, beautiful, cultivated and popular with all.

Dukes was a man who was anxious to earn the reputation of being a gambler. He paid marked attention to Lizzie, and Capt.

WILL RUN NO MORE.

The Great Longstreet Said to Be a Total Wreck.

THE SPEEDY HORSE PERMANENTLY INJURED IN HIS LAST RACE.

How All the Heart Horses Proved Failure—The Good People of Aurora "Are Terribly Shocked"—How the Twelve-Club League Scheme Was Worked—The Bantam Fighters.

The greatest horse of last season and one of the greatest thoroughbreds the American turf has known, Longstreet, will, in all probability never face the starter's flag again. After his last race at Morris Park, with which he pulled up lame, and was retired, it was discovered that he was suffering from a hopeless cripple, the tendon of one of his fore legs being bowed. As a last resort he was fired.

A gentleman who saw him last week said: "In my opinion Longstreet will never start again. I don't think the firing did him any good, and it is a thousand to one that he will never be more than a show horse."

M. F. Dwyer, the owner of Longstreet, is in Florida, but his brother, Mr. Philip Dwyer, confirmed the unfortunate news.

"I have not seen Longstreet lately," said Mr. Dwyer, "but in my opinion, the chances are overwhelmingly against his racing. Even if he should go to the post I do not think he will be the same horse he once was."

Every lover of a good thoroughbred will hope that the unexpected may occur and that Longstreet will reappear, the Longstreet of the past. When he is permanently retired he will go to McGrath and take his place with Onondago and the other great stallions on that noted stock farm.

THE RING.

Tommy Kelly, the "Harlem Spider," and champion bantam weight of America, evidently has more confidence in his fighting ability than his backers, at least more than those who were behind him in his recent fight with Billy Plimmer, the English bantam. It will be remembered that the spider's backers refused to put up the final installment of the forfeit money, after two installments had been posted, they claiming that Kelly had not taken proper care of himself, and in consequence had become sick and was not in condition to fight.

There is another candidate for bantam championship, Jimmy Kennedy, the St. Paul kid, is firmly convinced that he can whip Billy Plimmer. The English champion wants to fight Plimmer for \$2,500 a side and for the largest purse any club will hand out. Kelly, however, is not so sure of his chances of defeating Plimmer. It is now considered that Kelly will not be able to meet the challenge, and will answer it shortly. It is likely that the answer will consist of a good-sized check to be used as a forfeit to bind an immediate contest.

THE AURORA SHOCKER.

The Aurora (Ill.) correspondent of a morning paper telegraphs the startling information that "the people of this city are terribly shocked on account of a prize fight which occurred at Aurora, small town, five miles from Chicago, Sunday morning."

He adds that the contest was between a local fighter, who was a former champion in Chicago, and Houston, an Eastern man. The Aurora correspondent adds that the fight was a very close one, and that the winner was the local fighter. He also says that the fight was a very close one, and that the winner was the local fighter.

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MISSOURI MATTERS.

Personal Notes and General News from Interior Cities.

CAPE GIRARD, Dec. 15.—The steamer Joe Long arrived here today on her first trip to the Cape Girardeau and Cairo trade, and will make daily trips, leaving here at 6:30 a. m. and returning here at 7:30 p. m.

The annual inspection of the Cape City Guard, N. M., will occur Wednesday night, with Capt. Bierwirth as the inspecting officer.

The "M. S." Club held a social at the residence of S. Albert on Thursday night. They propose giving a grand Leap Year masquerade ball soon after the first of the month.

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LADIES' OR GENTS' 28-in., Diamond frame, ball bearings, etc. List \$75; net, \$52.50.

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